in the present Board of Directors of the Company;

(b) if so, the details thereof alongwith the names, experience, terms and conditions of appointments of the members of the present Board of Directors of the company;

(c) whether it is also a fact that some experienced directors to be removed and/or replaced during the said period; and

(d) if so, the details thereof and whether the company is in losses after the new set-up?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF MINES IN THE MINISTRY OF STEEL AND MINES (SHRI MAHABIR PRASAD): (a) to (d) During the year 1988-89 and 1989-90- todate, no whole-time Directors was removed from the Board of Hindustan Copper Limited (HCL). However, the post of Chairman-cum-Managing Director and Director (Operations) fell vacant during this period. These two posts alongwith that of Director (Finance) lying vacant since 1987-88 were filled up as indicated below:—

(i) Chairman-cum-Managing Director:

This post fell vacant with effect from 14th January, 1989 consequent upon the acceptance of resignation of Shri R.S. Misra. Shri P.V. Venkatesan, formerly Director (Finance), National Aluminium Company Limited has been appointed as Chairman-cum-Managing Director, Hindustan Copper Limited with effect from 28th April, 1989 till the date of his superannuation.

(ii) Director (Operations):

This post fell vacant with effect from 3rd December, 1988 on expiry of the tenure of Shri M. A. Khan. Shri R. C. Checker, formerly Executive Director, Hindustan Copper Limited incharge of Malanjkhand Copper Project has been appointed as Director (Operations) with effect from 1st May, 1989 till the date of his superannuation.

(iii) Director (Finance):

This post has been lying vacant since August, 1987 on the premature demise of Shri S. Roy. Shri P. V. R. Reddy, formerly Chief Finance Manager, Central Coal Fields Ltd. has been appointed as Director (Finance) with effect from 26th May, 1989 till the date of his superannuation.

2. All the new appointees have adequate experience of serving in mining companies and their selection to these post has been done in accordance with the prescribed procedure, after obtaining recommendations of the Public Enterprises Selection Board.

3. The profitability position of HCL has not deteriorated in any way with the change in the incumbency of the above said posts.

दिल्ली विकास प्राधिकरण के मकानों का बिना पारी के आवंटन

2324. **श्री रशीद मसूद :** क्या शहरी विकास मंत्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि :

(क) 1 अप्रैल, 1988 से 31 मई, 1989 की अवधि के दौरान दिल्ली विकास प्राधिकरण के अध्यक्ष और उपाध्यक्ष द्वारा जिन लोगों को बिना पारी के दिल्ली विकास प्राधिकरण के मकानों का आवंटन किया गया है उनकी संख्या क्या है उनके नाम, पते तथा व्यवसाय क्या है, और क्या उनके नाम पंजीकृत किये गये थे अथवा नहीं, इस संबंध में ब्यौरा क्या है; और

(ख) क्या दिल्ली विकास प्राधिकरण के उपाध्यक्ष के विरुद्ध अनियमितताओं के संबंध में कोई शिकायत मिली है, यदि हां, तो इस पर की गई कार्यवाही का ब्यौरा क्या है?

शहरी विकास मंत्रालय में राज्य मंत्री (श्री बलवीर सिंह) : (क) 250

व्यक्तियों को बिना बारी के आधार पर मकान आवंटित किये गये थे। ब्यौरे अनुपत्रों में दिये गये हैं [देखिये परिशिष्ट 151, अनुपत्र सं. 136 से 139]

(ख) जी, नहीं।

Contracts for Durgapur Steel Plant

2325. PROF. SOURENDRA BHATTACHARJEE: Will the Minister of STEEL AND MINES be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government's attention has been drawn to the news-item which appeared in the 'Statesman', Delhi, dated the 17th April, 1989 under the caption "Two contracts for Durgapur plant";

(b) if so, the reaction of Government thereto;

(c) whether it is a fact that two Indian companies do not have any past experience in the field of steel plants;

(d) if so, what is the total value of the job given to the Indian companies, the scope and nature of such jobs; and

(e) the details of the contract given alongwith the value of each participant in the consortium, if any, for the DSP?

THE MINISTER OF STEEL AND MINES (SHRI MAKHAN LAL FOTEDAR): (a) to (c) The two Indian companies M/s. Birla Technical Services and M/s. Dodsal are members of the consortia which have been awarded contracts for 4 global packages of Durgapur Steel Plant modernisation. The Indian Companies have experience in the field of steel projects. The contracts have been given with a single point responsibility on the consortia leaders namely (i) M/s. Mannes Mann Lenag (WG) (ii) M/s. Tiazpromexport (USSR) (iii) M/s. Concept AG (Switzerland) for completion of work on a turnkey basis. The consortia will undertake design, engineering, supply and erection of equipment (both imported and indigenous) civil works, etc. The assignment of individual jobs within the consortia is done by members themselves.

(d) and (e) The value of work to be done by the members of consortia for global packages is as follows:

	Rs. crores
(i) M/s. Mannesman Demag HutMentechnik (FRG)	309.61
(ii) M/s. Tiajpromexport (USSR)	265.57
(iii) M/s. Hindustan Steelworks Construction Ltd.	188.01
(iv) M/s. Birla Technical Services	461.60
(v) M/s. Dedsal	207.52
(vi) M/s. Concast AG (Switzerland)	38.47
(vii) M/s. Larser and Toubro	139.90